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## **UPDATE: OFFICE CLOSED DUE TO CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)**

On Friday, April 3, 2020, Governor Ivey issued a statewide Stay at Home order effective until 5:00pm on April 30, 2020.

Upon this order, the AESBL office will remained closed to the public until Friday, May 1, 2020. During this time, the AESBL staff will operate a light schedule within the office and continue to work remotely when necessary. Emails are checked on a continuous basis and will be responded to quickly. Phone calls may be sent to voicemail, so please leave a message and your call will be returned within 24 hours.

The AESBL staff is processing mail daily. However, ALEA is not currently operating its criminal background check division, and therefore, we are unable to submit background checks. Because of this, we are unable to issue new licenses at this time.

Licensees with the AESBL have been declared as essential workers on both the state and federal level.

https://www.cisa.gov/emergency-services-sector

https://governor.alabama.gov/assets/2020/04/Final-Statewide-Order-4.3.2020.pdf

As it is required by law, the Board recommends that you have your AESBL badge on your person at all times.

We appreciate your patience and cooperation during this pandemic. Please follow all guidelines and stay safe and healthy!